

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)
4601D2In re Application of
Linda G. Lee et al.Application Number
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Atropisomers of Asymmetric Xanthene Fluorescent Dyes and Methods of DNA Sequencing and Fragment AnalysisGroup Art Unit
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

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